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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJ: ALLIED CHEMICAL CORP. PROPOSAL TO SHIP KEPONE FROM
U.S. TO FRG FOR PERMANENT STORAGE

REF: (A) STATE 68929; (B) LONDON 4727; (C) LONDON 5225;
(D) STATE 94752;(COPIES OF REFTELS BEING POUCHED TO
ADDRESSEE POSTS 7-19-78)

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(APPROXIMATELY 47,306 POUNDS OF KEPONE) TO THE FIRM OF KALI
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STORAGE IN THE FRG.

2- ALLIED HAS REQUESTED EPA TO MODIFY ITS STOP, SALE, USE OR REMOVAL ORDER ISSUED UNDER THE FEDERAL INSECTICIDE, FUNGICIDE AND RODENTICIDE ACT IN ORDER TO PROCEED WITH THE PROPOSED STORAGE PROGRAM IN THE FRG. FOLLOWING CONFIRMATION BY APPROPRIATE HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, EPA WILL PROCEED WITH ALLIED'S REQUEST. A COPY OF ALLIED'S LETTER TO EPA REGION III IS BEING POUCHED TO ADDRESSEE POSTS 7-19-78. ALLIED INDICATES THAT FOR THE FRG IT HAS CONTACTED KLASSE VON SCHUBERT, FOREIGN MINISTRY; DR. WOLBECK, INTERIOR MINISTRY; AND MR. ZUBILLER, HESSEN MINISTRY FOR AGRICULTURAL ECONOMY AND ENVIRONMENT, KASSEL. WITH RESPECT TO THE NETHERLANDS, ALLIED HAS INDICATED THAT IT WILL BE UTILIZING OCEAN COMBUSTION SERVICES (VULCANUS) TO SHIP AND CLEAR THE KEPONE/ARSENIC WASTES THROUGH THE PORT OF ROTTERDAM. MR. J. H. ERASMUS OF THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL HYGIENE HAS BEEN NOTIFIED BY OCEAN COMBUSTION SERVICES OF THIS TRANSSHIPMENT.

3. DISPOSAL OF KEPONE WITHIN THE U. S. AND RECENT SIMILAR ATTEMPT IN THE U. K. HAVE ATTRACTED EXTRAORDINARY PUBLIC COMMENT. THIS HAS LED TO THE TRANSFER OF DISPOSAL PROGRAMS FROM THE TECHNICAL FIELD INTO THE POLITICAL ARENA. THE DEPARTMENT IS POUCHING 7-19-78 THE PERTINENT CABLE TRAFFIC WITH AMEMBASSY LONDON FOR BACKGROUND INFORMATION. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ADDRESSEE POSTS' RESPONSE IN ORDER TO ASSIST EPA IN AN EXPEDITIOUS FASHION, SINCE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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ALLIED WISHES TO PROCEED ON OR ABOUT JULY 27.

4. FOR BONN: DEPARTMENT REQUESTS CONFIRMATION THAT DESIGNATED OFFICIALS HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED AND THAT THE FRG AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS HAVE NO OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSED STORAGE PROGRAM.

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